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SUBJECT: CALL FOR SPECIAL REPEAT SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MALTA FOR THE YEAR 1975

REFERENCE A) USNATO 1218 B) USNATO 1549

SUMMARY. REFERENCE REPORTED MALTA WORKING GROUP AGREEMENT TO
SPECIAL PAYMENTS TO MALTA IN 1975 ON SAME BASIS AS PRIOR YEARS.
SHAPE LETTER, QUOTED BELOW, REQUESTS ADVICE OF AMOUNT AND
DEPOSIT OF US SPECIAL PAYMENT CONTRIBUTION. ACTION REQUESTED:
ADVISE MISSION OF AMOUNT OF US SPECIAL PAYMENT AND DIRECT
DEPOSIT TO SHAPA ACCOUNT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SHAPE LETTER.
END SUMMARY.

1. TEXT OF SHAPE LETTER, FILE 5710/1531/15-7, 12 FEB 75,
FOLLOWS:
BEGIN TEXT.

1. THIS HEADQUARTERS HAS BEEN VERBALLY INFORMED THAT
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THE NATIONS HAVING PARTICIPATED IN THE SPECIAL PAYMENTS TO
THE GOVERNMENT OF MALTA IN 1973 AND 1974 INTEND TO EXTEND
THE AGREEMENT TO THIS EFFECT TO COVER THE YEAR 1975.

2. CONSEQUENTLY, THE NATIONS CONCERNED ARE BEING REQUESTED TO MAKE THEIR PAYMENTS IN THEIR NATIONAL CURRENCIES TO SHAPE WHO, IN TURN, WILL MAKE PAYMENT TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MALTA.

3. THE FIRST BIENNIAL PAYMENT IS DUE ON THE 14 MAY 1975, THE SECOND ON 16 OCTOBER 1975.

4. WHETHER OR NOT THE EXTENSION OF THE AGREEMENT IMPLIES THAT PAYMENTS WILL BE MADE IN THE SAME AMOUNTS AS LAST YEAR, THE AMOUNT PAYABLE AS A FIRST SEMI-ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION SHOULD BE NOTIFIED TO SHAPE BY THE PARTICIPATING NATIONS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

5. YOU ARE REQUESTED TO ARRANGE FOR PAYMENT OF THE AMOUNT PAYABLE BY THE UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES IN US DOLLARS TO THE CREDIT OF SHAPE ACCOUNT NO. 001.1.065737 WITH THE CHASE MANHATTAN BANK, CHASE MANHATTAN PLAZA, NEW YORK, AT THE LATEST ON 30 APRIL 1975.

END TEXT.

2. AS REPORTED IN REFERENCE B, NAC HAS APPROVED BY SILENCE PROCEDURE (PO/75/26) CONTINUATION OF SPECIAL PAYMENTS TO MALTA DURING 1975.

3. MISSION REQUESTS DEPARTMENT ARRANGE PAYMENT AS INDICATED PARA 5 OF QUOTE AND ADVISE THE AMOUNT OF SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION TO ALLOW NOTIFICATION TO SHAPE.

4. PLEASE NOTE THIS IS SPECIAL PAYMENT PAYABLE IN US DOLLARS AND NOT REGULAR PAYMENT PAYABLE IN POUNDS STERLING. LAST REGULAR PAYMENT WAS DEPOSITED BY US ON 1 FEB 75.
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